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Sir:

In response to the official action (Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment) dated December 9, 2005, submitted herewith is a corrected "Amendments to the Claims" section of the November 23, 2005. Amendment, in its entirety. Claim 16 now indicates the word "free" marked up with an underline to indicate its insertion. The underline was omitted in the November 23, 2005, amendment through clerical error.

Withdrawal of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and passage of this application to allowance are respectfully requested..